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LEHI SELECTS JEREMY CRAFT AS NEW FIRE CHIEF

Current Provo Battalion Chief to Begin Service on December 15th

Lehi, Utah | November 12, 2014 – Lehi City has selected Provo Battalion Chief Jeremy Craft as its new fire chief. Craft will begin his service as Lehi Fire Chief on December 15, 2014.

“I am really excited to help the Lehi Fire Department progress into the future. I look forward to getting started and becoming a partner in the community,” said Craft. City Administrator Derek Todd shared Craft’s excitement, “Jeremy emerged as the best choice for Lehi after an arduous selection process. Jeremy’s education, experience, and skill will allow him to be a great fire chief for Lehi, and I can’t wait for him to get started.”



Lehi Fire Station 82

Craft was selected from an applicant pool that included candidates from around the country. Craft has spent 20 years in the fire service, spending 18 of those years with the Provo Fire & Rescue Department. Craft has spent the past six years as a battalion chief. Craft’s experience also includes six years as an EMS team member, five years as a Life Flight paramedic, and nine years as an instructor at the Utah Fire and Rescue Academy at Utah Valley University. Craft has also spent the past two years working concurrently for the North Fork Fire Department.

Along with his career experience, Craft holds a paramedic certificate from Weber State University, an associate’s degree from Utah Valley University, a bachelor’s degree from Utah Valley University, and a Master in Public Administration degree from Upper Iowa University. Craft also has numerous professional certifications, and he will finish the Executive Fire Officer Program at the National Fire Academy this December.

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